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PATENT APPLICATION
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT(S): Mani Prakash, et al. GROUP: ART UNIT: 3739
SERIAL NO.: 10/622,800 EXAMAINER: Peter J. Vrettakos
FILED: July 18, 2003
FOR: DEVICES AND METHODS FOR COOLING
MICROWAVE ANTENNAS

August 4, 2006

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir/Madam:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed July 10, 2006, for which a shortened statutory period for reply expires August 10, 2006, Applicants hereby provisionally elect Claims 1-24 for continued examination.

The Examiner has required restriction between Group I (Claims 1-24) drawn to a cooling jacket, classification in class 606, subclass 22, and Group II (Claims 46-63 and 78) drawn to a cooling system with coaxial tubular members, classified in class 606, subclass 20.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8(a)

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Applicants hereby elect Group 1, without traverse. Applicants expressly reserve the right under 35 U.S.C. § 121 to file a divisional application directed to the nonelected subject matter during the pendency of this application, or any application claiming priority from this application.

Please charge any deficiency as well as any other fee(s) that may become due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and/or 1.17 at any time during the pendency of this application, or credit any overpayment of such fee(s), to Deposit Account No. 21-0550.

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